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## MORE GAMBLING HERE, SAYS GRANT

PROTECTIVE LEAGUE OFFICIAL  
OPENS FIRE ON SMOKE SHOP ON  
LOWER GRAND AVENUE.

Edwin E. Grant, who has been flooding the office of District Attorney Swart with letters complaining of the gambling situation in the county and who has been making investigations in this city, claims to have heard the "rattle of money" in a game at the Smoke Shop, run by Vette & Thatcher, on lower Grand avenue.

Grant bases his accusation against the Smoke Shop purely on the evidence of his ears and made no allegation that any percentage was being taken from the game by the management. Under the California laws this does not constitute any grounds for arrest or prosecution.

Following is Grant's latest letter to the District Attorney:

(Letterhead of State Law and Enforcement League.)

San Francisco, March 14, 1919.

Hon. Franklin Swart, District Attorney, San Mateo County, Redwood City, Calif.—My Dear Sir: I beg to call to your attention for purposes of investigation the Smoke House Poolroom in the city of South San Francisco, county of San Mateo.

It seems there is a little room in the rear of the poolroom where a game is played and money can be heard rattling while the game is on.

In fact, I, myself, heard the money rattle, while the room was crowded with men, and it would seem there are places in San Mateo county besides the Northern and Villa Mateo clubs that are badly in need of official investigation.

Very truly yours,  
EDWIN E. GRANT,  
Law Enforcement Executive.

The State Law Enforcement and Protective League, upon whose letterhead Grant's letters have been written, is the organization of the Rev. Paul Smith, who created such a furor throughout the city of San Francisco in his crusades against vice.

Grant has achieved considerable reputation in the cities in which he has operated. It was mainly through his efforts that the city of Vallejo was cleaned up and finally went dry by order of Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy.

## STEEL WORKERS' PREPARE FOR BIG ANNUAL DANCE

Preparations are already under way for the big dancing event of the year in local circles, which is given annually by Panama-Pacific Lodge No. 5 of the Steel Workers' Union.

An interested and enthusiastic committee is already laying plans for the ball, which will be given in Fraternal Hall in April. The City Trustees have granted permission for dancing until 4 a. m., and the usual large crowd which is attracted to this dance each year is expected.

It is anticipated that many out-of-town people will attend.

## OLD TIMER ASTOUNDED AT LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS

W. T. Neff, an old pioneer of South San Francisco, who has lived in Arizona for the past twenty years, was astounded at local improvements when he visited here this week. Neff built one of the first hotels of South San Francisco. It was located on the ground now occupied by the Harrington hotel, Neff's hotel having been destroyed by fire.

## ASKS DIVORCE

May Fontaine has filed suit for a divorce against R. L. Fontaine, who formerly conducted a tailoring shop on Grand avenue, in the store now occupied by Hage's Restaurant.

The Fontaines separated while in South San Francisco, and the divorce proceeding is an outcome of their marital troubles here.

Mrs. Fontaine, in her complaint, accuses her spouse of having pelted her with ham and eggs, and claims he punched holes in the plaster of their home and tore the "cuckoo" clock off the wall.

Mrs. Fontaine also accuses her husband of having threatened to totally wreck their home, which she claims he partially did by tearing the pictures off the walls and pulling the portieres down. The couple lived in the Carmody flats on Linden avenue when here.

## SELECT SITE FOR COUNTY HOSPITAL

WILL BE BUILT ON KENNETH  
O'GRADY PROPERTY IN BERES-  
FORD.

The proposed new county hospital will be built on the Kenneth O'Grady property in Beresford, one-half mile off the State highway on the road to the Fritz King place. That was the decision of the Board of Supervisors in session with the advisory hospital committee at Redwood City Monday morning.

Rev. Walter H. Cambridge of San Mateo and Horace Nelson of Halfmoon Bay were the advisory committee members present. W. H. Coffinberry, local banker, the third member, was unable to attend the meeting.

Captain Wood C. Baker, County Physician, who is on a leave of absence from military duty, was present and told the board members of his visits to other hospitals in California and the methods used by the various institutions. Dr. A. L. Offield of Burlingame, who has been acting County Physician in Captain Baker's absence, was also at the meeting.

According to County Surveyor George Kneese, who presented his plans and specifications to the board, the cost of obtaining water and piping it to the new site would be about \$22,000.

Architect W. H. Toepke of San Mateo addressed the board on costs and told the supervisors that the site and construction of the new hospital would probably aggregate \$125,000. This amount the board tentatively discussed, with a view toward determining the manner of raising the money. Most of the members were in favor of a direct tax, in two installments, half the amount being put on the tax budget the first year, the other half in the following year. Nothing definite was done about this point.

In the afternoon the supervisors and the advisory committee visited the O'Grady property, consisting of about sixty acres, with a view toward selecting the ten or fifteen acres which will be bought for a hospital site.

Register before April 6 or you cannot vote for the city hall, fire department and sewer bonds.

Your vote may be necessary to carry the bond election.

## FATHER FACES A SERIOUS CHARGE

CHARLES MANLEY ARRESTED AT  
STEEL MILL ON COMPLAINT OF  
MARRIED DAUGHTER, WHO  
CHARGES MISTREATMENT.

Charles Manley, employed as a pipe fitter by the Pacific Coast Steel Mill, was arrested at the plant on Wednesday by Under Sheriff Lampkin, accompanied by Probation Officer Rapp, following accusations of a most serious nature made against him by his four daughters, two of whom are now married.

The accusation against Manley was made by one of the married daughters, and two of the sisters corroborated her story. They declare that Manley had mistreated each of the four daughters at the ages of 11 and 18.

The accusations were denied to District Attorney Franklin K. Swart by Manley, who is in the Redwood City jail awaiting trial, and his denial was upheld by his wife, Rose Manley, who alleges there is no truth in the story. Probation Officer Francis K. Rapp is making a thorough investigation of the circumstances. The Manley family lived at San Bruno, having located there a year ago when they came from Idaho.

## ELKS TAKE LEADING PART IN SALVATION ARMY DRIVE

Elks in every part of California are taking a leading part in the Salvation Army's drive for funds during the week of March 24 to 31. Harry M. Ticknor, president of the California Elks' Association, has sent a letter to every Elks' lodge in the State urging the members to appoint committees and take charge of the drive in their communities. In his letter Ticknor says:

"The Salvation Army has no secret ambitions to gratify. It plays no favorites. It simply demonstrates its right to be called the Salvation Army. It has helped thousands of our fraternal brothers. It is now our turn to help. The Order of Elks has tacitly fathered this great organization of godly men and women of late in the United States. There is a perpetual war on all forms of vice and wrongdoing. Help them in their drive for funds."

The Salvation Army will make a drive for \$822,000 in California the week of March 24 to 31 for home service work. This sum is necessary to maintain thirty-three centers where its work is carried on in California, erect central Salvation Army buildings in San Francisco and Los Angeles, build in Santa Ana, Riverside and Long Beach, improve and extend the work at Lytton Home for Boys and Girls, take care of the two rescue and maternity homes it maintains, the industrial homes for men and homes for women, prison work, relief work for the needy and other welfare activities.

## CONRAD FALLS FROM MOTOR- CYCLE DODGING AUTOMOBILE

While attempting to avoid a collision with an automobile which unexpectedly turned the corner of San Bruno road and the extension of Linden avenue, on Sunday, Chief of Police Clyde Conrad fell from his motorcycle and injured his knee. His uniform was badly torn in the accident.

Your city needs a new city hall. Vote for the bonds.

## THE OPEN FORUM

The Enterprise will welcome letters from its readers on the coming bond election for the building of a city hall, fire alarm system and sewer system.

The letters will be published under a column with the title "The Open Forum."

Arguments for or against the bond issue will be given equal space and attention. There will be no partiality shown, the letters being published in the order of their receipt.

Write on one side of the paper only.

No attention will be given to unsigned communications.

Will the bond issue benefit the city—and why?

Let us have your opinion.

The columns of The Enterprise are open at all times for the publication of letters on any subject pertaining to the welfare of the city, or its progress.

## WHAT DO YOU THINK ABOUT THE CHURCH?

LOCAL CLERGYMAN ASKS PERTINENT QUESTIONS ABOUT VALUE  
OF CHURCH TO COMMUNITY.

The Enterprise is in receipt of the following letter from the Rev. Daniel Stevens, in which the clergyman asks several pertinent questions as to the lack of interest shown by men in church work.

A discussion of the question is invited in the columns of The Enterprise, and all letters on the subject will be gladly received. What is your opinion?

South San Francisco, Calif.,  
March 21, 1919.

Dear Sir: Pardon the liberty I take in addressing you, but I am anxious to secure your opinion as to why the great majority of South San Francisco men are not actively interested in the church work. I am a preacher, and naturally I look at it from the standpoint of a preacher; but I covet the privilege of looking at it through your eyes. If it is not asking too much, will you make a suggestion or two on the following points:

1. Why are not more men members of the church?
2. Are the churches of your acquaintance really doing the work you believe the Church of Christ was founded to accomplish?
3. What do you consider the most helpful features of church life to-day?

I am writing to a number of gentlemen about this, and their answers, I am frank to say, will form the basis of a series of sermons I hope to preach at St. Paul's Methodist Church, beginning April 6. Your communication will be considered strictly confidential. Should you be able to attend the series of sermons, I assure you that you will not be personally addressed on the subject of religion. Thanking you in advance for the favor, I am,

Respectfully yours,  
DANIEL STEVENS.  
400 Grand avenue.

The money saved on your insurance premiums by voting for the bonds will pay the interest on the bonds.

Henry Haaker will take your subscription to the Salvation Army drive any day in the bank.

## CITY FATHERS IN STORMY SESSION

RUMPUS FOLLOWS PROTEST OF  
TRUSTEE HEALY AGAINST PAS-  
SAGE OF SEWER ORDINANCE.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees on Monday last, City Trustee Healy hotly protested that it was futile to pass the plumbing ordinance which had been re-introduced by Trustee Cunningham, following several alterations made in the proposed legislation by City Attorney Coleberd. Healy hotly declared that the city statute books were now cluttered with ordinances which were not enforced. This brought a pertinent retort from Trustee Cunningham that the City Clerk's records would show that Healy himself had voted in the affirmative for permits in violation of certain ordinances about the issuance of which Healy was complaining.

When Trustee Healy unlimbered some of his fire about laundry wagons operating in the city without a license, he intimated that Chief of Police Conrad had cognizance of these matters and by innuendo gave the suggestion that Conrad had a private arrangement with the driver. This drew the retort discourteous from Conrad, and hot words followed between the Trustee and police officer, in which Conrad flatly declared Healy "was a liar" when he made such an accusation.

Stormy accusations were fired at Healy by Uhl during the course of the meeting. Uhl was quieted by Conrad. It was one of the stormiest sessions the board has held in many weeks.

The application of the Steel Workers' Union for permission to dance until 4 a. m. at their annual ball was granted upon motion of Trustee Cunningham.

Action will be taken by the board to trim dangerous outstanding branches of trees bordering Grand avenue.

## COMMITTEES SELECTED FOR SALVATION ARMY DRIVE

South San Francisco members of the San Mateo lodge of Elks met at the Industrial Club on Thursday evening to formulate ways and means for conducting the drive for funds for the Salvation Army, which opens next week.

Fred Schmidt, who has recently returned from the European battle front, told interestingly of the splendid work done by the Salvation Army and made a strong plea for the organization.

The following were appointed on the committee: Ambrose McSweeney, E. C. Peck, Abbe P. Scott, Henry L. Haaker and Supervisor Thomas L. Hickey, who will canvass the factory district.

D. Ratto, P. Pala and Fred Schmidt will conduct the campaign among the merchants and in the residence sections.

## BANK STATEMENT SHOWS ITS REMARKABLE GROWTH

Each succeeding publication of the condition of the Bank of South San Francisco, which statement appears on another page of this issue, tells an illuminating story of the progress of the local banking institution. The total combined resources are now in excess of a million and a quarter dollars. Savings deposits alone are climbing close to the million dollar mark and the combined surplus of the bank is in excess of \$25,000.

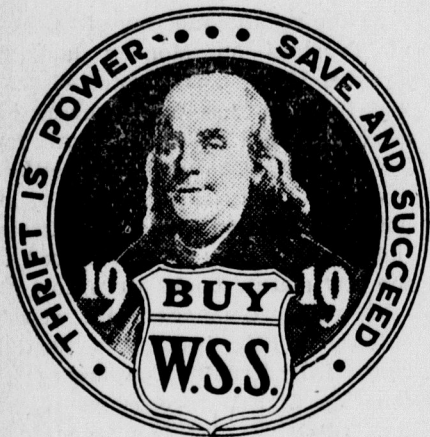


## VICTORY LOAN QUOTA NOT TO HINGE ON W. S. S.

### Failure of Some Districts to Reapportion Causes Change in Plans

Victory Liberty Loan quotas will not be affected by Thrift Stamp sales as planned by the Treasury Department the first of the year. It was announced last January by Lewis B. Franklin, director of war savings, that wherever Thrift Stamp quotas were exceeded the amount of oversubscription would be taken from the coming loan quota and that if the Thrift Stamp quotas were not reached the deficiency would be added to the loan quota.

Governor James K. Lynch of the Federal Reserve Bank has just received a telegram from Washington advising that the plan to adjust Victory Loan quotas in accordance with the sale of War Savings Stamps has been abandoned. The reason given was that some of the Federal Reserve Districts were not reapportioning Thrift Stamp quotas.



### THRIFT MEANS

Spending wisely to satisfy important needs of the present and saving the rest of one's income to meet important needs of the future, lest spending for trifles today deplete one's resources so that he cannot meet important needs and opportunities tomorrow. Thrift, like success, requires two things, planning and will power to carry out the plans. In short, thrift means success.

Thrift Stamps will help you to plan and will back up your will power.

### REGENERATION

Before I went to war I lived my life  
In luxury and softness, seeing naught  
Of the despair and sad, unceasing strife  
Of thousands with whose lives my ease was bought.

Before I went to war I took no thought  
But heedless, careless, dallied on with sin;  
Saw not the price at which a soul is bought,  
Nor knew the souls men buy as mine own kin.

I went to war—tore out my dying roots  
From the stagnant soil and flesh was bedded in.  
I'd thought to find my comrades uncouth brutes—  
Instead, found men, and learned that sin is sin!

And Liberty!—I learned to know thy call  
Is God's own call to help the world in pain.  
So, God, I pray thee not to pardon all,  
But do not let me close my eyes again!

—Lieutenant John H. Minns.

Disraeli said, "The greatest secret of success in life is to be ready when your opportunity comes." Prepare with War Savings Stamps.

### GARAGE AND MOTORCYCLE SHOP OPEN FOR BUSINESS

The Civic Center Garage at 350 Grand avenue, for the repairing and rebuilding of automobiles, is being conducted under the joint ownership of W. L. Hickey and A. A. Woloff.

The new garage is also San Mateo county agent for the Braender brand of tires and inner tubes.

The Depot Motorcycle Shop, owned by L. Neri and J. Mirati, has also opened for business at 424 San Bruno road. "Service" is the motto of the new shop, which will specialize on vulcanizing and repairing.

Register for bond election.

YOU?



### FRANK ROBINSON TELLS OF LIFE OVERSEAS

An informal reception to Frank Robinson was held at his home on Wednesday evening, when an interested group of friends called and congratulated him on his safe return home from France. Robinson was among the troops returned on the U. S. S. Michigan, and arrived in South San Francisco Tuesday night.

Robinson had some interesting experiences in the Chateau Thierry sector, where he was wounded, and related several fascinating stories of life in the trenches and the activities of the American boys "over there."

Following his recovery, he was assigned to an officers' training camp, where he was stationed at the time of the signing of the armistice.

Several of his friends stayed until the "wee small hours of the morning" listening to his portrayal of overseas life and the customs and habits of the French people.

### OFFICERS RE-ELECTED AT MEETING OF LAND COMPANY

At the annual meeting of the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company the previous officers were re-elected to serve for the ensuing year.

### AL MADERAS LEAVES FOR BASEBALL PRACTICE

Al Maderas left this week for Crockett, where he will join the Portland Coast League baseball team for spring training. The local boy was a member of the South City Bears, and his work on that team showed up well enough to admit him into fast baseball company. His many friends hope to see him holding down a regular place on the Portland team at the opening of the regular season.

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### BONFIRES WILL BLAZE TO SHOW APPRECIATION

On the night of Monday, March 24, thousands of bonfires will blaze from vantage points in every section of California, lighted and tended by returned soldiers to show their appreciation of the service the Salvation Army rendered them and to inaugurate the opening of the Salvation Army's State-wide drive for \$822,000 to maintain and extend its home service work in California.

These will be literally "Fires of Appreciation," and Salvation Army lassies will serve hot coffee and doughnuts to the soldiers that evening just as they did in the trenches in the war zone in France. Hundreds of soldiers will "keep the home fires burning."

## Don't Smoke Heavy Cigars

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## EASTERN MILLS SLOWING DOWN

SOME PLANTS ARE CLOSED AND FORCE OF UNEMPLOYED IS GROWING; WAGE REVISION CONSIDERED.

Pittsburg advises state that there is a gradual slowing down of operations in the various plants there and the general run of the steel mills is about 65 per cent of normal capacity. Some plants have entirely closed down, due to lack of orders, and the number of idle men is gradually growing. At one small steel plant the management called the men together and placed the situation before them. He said if the men would agree to a 25 per cent wage reduction the plant would keep in operation for a long time, but if they insisted on present wages being sustained the plant would have to suspend for an indefinite period. It is understood the men have called a meeting to vote on the question. The general opinion is that they will agree to the wage revision.

In some quarters of the Pittsburg district there is evidence that some organized workers will make a stand for the present wage. This may mean labor disturbances at some of the mills.

At a meeting of the National Association of Sheet Manufacturers there was a general discussion of trade conditions, but no action of any kind was taken. The demand for sheets was reported as fair, but mostly in small lots to meet current needs. The independent sheet mills are operating from 65 to 70 per cent of capacity while the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company reports its tin plate plants are running at about 95 per cent capacity.

The greater portion of the tin is being made into stock for use later when the makers of cans will come into the market. Much of this tin will be needed as soon as the pack is ready to can and the mills want to be ready to supply the demand which will be urgent when it comes. The official price of tin plate is \$7.35 a base box, Pittsburg delivery, for the first half of this year. It is reported that a sale of 5000 base boxes of tin plate for the Dutch East Indies was made at the full domestic price and in competition with English makers.

The mills manufacturing iron and steel pipe are operating at about 75 per cent capacity, although National Tube Company mills are said to be operating at about 90 per cent. Most of the pipe is going into stock. Inquiry for line pipe for projected gas and oil lines still continues heavy. The report that there will be a marked reduction in prices about April 1 is not discussed by the tube makers.

Foundry pig iron has been declining for the past week, though Bessemer and basic grades are practically unchanged. Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company bought 500 tons of Birmingham iron for March delivery to its Louisville plant at \$28.25. This was cut price, as the previous quotation was \$31. It is reported that some of the Valley furnaces have quoted as low as \$28 on foundry iron against the recognized quoting price of \$31, which is \$3 under the last Government price.

Does your boy—or your neighbor's boy—like doughnuts? The Salvation Army kept them supplied on the western front.

## KAHN POINTS WAY TO ESCAPE HEAVY TAXES

California Congressman Says People Must Cooperate With Government

Congressman Julius Kahn of California, senior member of the Military Affairs Committee of the House, in a signed statement given out at Washington, reviews briefly some of the problems confronting the government in post-war finance and urges the country to help congress hold down taxes. He said:

"How is the United States going to pay her war debts which are now beginning to flood the nation's treasury? The outflow of public funds today is almost on a par with the expenditures made while the war was raging. Although there are no more munitions or implements of war to be purchased, the engines of destruction which American factories created to bring about the downfall of the imperial government of Germany have not all been paid for. Then there are the heavy expenditures incident to readjusting the world from a war to a peace basis.

**Reconstruction Cost Heavy.**  
"It is no news to students of history to be told that the expenses of post-war reconstruction have always been as great and many times greater than the actual war outlay. Food must be shipped to our boys who are still on foreign soil. Money must be raised to further projects having to do with fitting these noble heroes of ours with suitable occupations. Those who have been maimed must not be made to come into competition with the sound.

"Where is the money to come from? The people themselves, although they lent patriotic and wholehearted support to the government's war program and made unprecedented sacrifices, keenly felt the effect of the taxes imposed in the revenue bill such as they had never faced before and would have not submitted to except in view of extraordinary circumstances. Now that the war is over we must find some way of raising money to finance the various necessary projects confronting the nation.

**People Must Cooperate.**  
The people must cooperate, and they can cooperate without paying heavy taxes. They can continue to invest in War Savings Stamps, Liberty Bonds and other government securities, and help the government by helping themselves.

"The government offers its citizens a two-fold proposition, mutually helpful. Funds can be raised to help the government meet its obligations, by the patriotic cooperation of the people, who are at the same time making as safe an investment as can be made in securities, backed by the most stable business on earth, that of Uncle Sam."

### Glass Is Thinking of Fifth Loan—Are You?

"I say that it takes a higher type of patriotism to serve this nation today that it required in the delirium of war, and that it is the duty of the American people, and I believe they will regard it as their privilege, to approach that question with some degree of patriotism and not altogether upon a commercial basis."

Secretary of the Treasury Carter Glass.

"There never was a time in the history of the United States when the utmost possible stimulation of the saving habit meant so much to individual and national prosperity as it does now."—Elmer H. Youngman, editor of "The Bankers' Magazine."

## "The House of Silence," Tuesday's Show at Royal



WALLACE REID in "The House of Silence"  
A Paramount Picture

If you were passing a dark house in a lonely street, and if a girl told you of a man dying within, what would you do? The situation confronted Marcel Levignet, an amateur detective and clubman of wealth, portrayed by Wallace Reid in his latest Paramount picture, "The House of Silence," which is to be displayed at the Royal Theatre next Tuesday.

The story of this exceptional photoplay is intensely dramatic, and in the development of the plot a hatpin and woman's purse are the only clues Levignet can discover in his effort to trace the slayer. He finds her at last,

only to learn that the slaying was legally justified, but it did not need this conclusion to inspire love for the distressed girl in the heart of the clubman-detective. After a series of thrilling incidents he unmasks the secret of the mysterious house and wins a pretty bride. Ann Little plays the part of the girl in the case with rare effectiveness. The picture is based upon the story by Elwyn Barron, the scenario was written by Margaret Turnbull, a scenarist of ability, and the production was directed by Donald Crisp, whose remarkable work in "Ramona" is well remembered.

### EARLY SCHOOLING OR LATER LIFE DRUDGERY

One of the reconstruction efforts is the Back to School and Stay in School movements. Children who left school to go to work during the war emergency are being asked to return to their studies and children who are eager to leave school as soon as the law allows are urged to stay in school.

The appeal is made to the children and their parents that a better education means in a few years better jobs. The difference between a position with a future of steadily increased wages and a larger capacity for living and a life of unskilled labor with low pay.

There is a proportion of worthless parents in every community who deliberately put their children to work at ages that the law forbids. The California law allows children to leave school to work at the age of 15. It is the duty of all persons who may know of children below this age who are working and who are not at school to report such parents to the authorities.

## SNOWY WHITE TABLE LINEN---

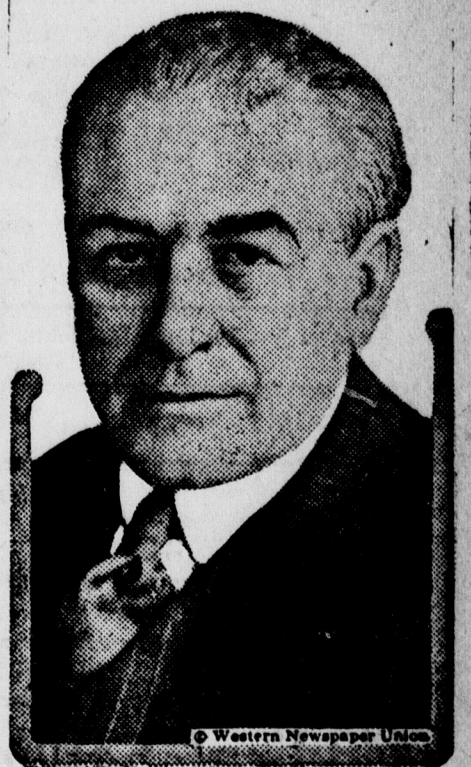
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## Superior French Laundry

6 GRAND AVENUE

ROY U. CONGER



Roy U. Conger became the largest individual owner of airplanes in the world by his recent purchase from the British government of 350 planes and 700 motors and millions of parts. He intends to use these machines to establish a commercial air route in Canada, where they were used to train Canadian flyers during the war. Mr. Conger is the son of the late American minister to China.

Give work to the building trades. Vote for the bonds.

### FRATERNAL DIRECTORY



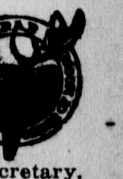
Bay City Homestead, No. 5527, B. A. Y., meets every first and third Wednesday in the month. Mary F. Bohn, Foreman. Frank B. Turner, Correspondent.

Tippecanoe Tribe, No. 111, Impd. O. R. M., meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Fraternal Hall. Visiting brothers welcome. George Kiessling Sr., Sachem. Daniel Hyland, Chief of Records.



South City Aerie, No. 1473, F. O. E., meets every Tuesday evening in Fraternal Hall, 8 o'clock. James Anderson, Worthy President. Daniel Hyland, Secretary. Visiting brothers welcome.

South City Lodge, No. 832, L. O. O. M., meets in Fraternal Hall every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting brothers welcome. A. Convey, Dictator. Henry Velt, Secretary.



Francis Drake Lodge, No. 376, F. & A. M., meets at Fraternal Hall first Friday every month for stated meeting. H. L. Holston, Master. G. W. Holston, Secretary.

Court Violet, No. 1453, Independent Order of Foresters, meets every Tuesday at 8 p. m. in Fraternal Hall. W. E. McGrath, Chief Ranger. John J. McDonald, Secretary.

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D. E. CURLEY Managing Editor

FRIDAY, MARCH 21, 1919.

## Medical Service in the Schools

The greatest asset we have—far beyond crops and cattle and stocks and bonds—in the children of our land. They will be the citizens of the next generation. And if they grow up to health and strength it will mean that they grow up to efficiency and power.

It is our manifest duty to take whatever means we can to bring about the most favorable conditions for the health of growing children. That as a nation we have failed lamentably in this respect is shown by the number of men in the selective draft who were rejected for physical imperfection. Thirty-three per cent of our young men—one out of every three—were below the normal physical condition which make a man fit for army service.

Many of these young men were subject to physical disabilities which could readily have been prevented or remedied if they had been recognized and properly dealt with in the subject's childhood.

A thorough physical examination of each child of school age should be made twice a year. This would lead to the detection of many incipient troubles and their cure. The time will come when we shall see the services of a doctor and nurse available at every school in the land, as part of the school system.

The result will be a healthier, happier and more efficient manhood and womanhood. We should all advocate such a provision for the health of children and should do all in our power to bring it about.

## The Details at Last

A Bolshevik was recently prevailed upon to elucidate the doctrines of bolshevism. He replied with the usual generalities about the abolition of wealth, etc., and being asked to give details of the program, he explained that money must be abolished.

There would be a substitute, of course. We were not to return to the system of exchange and barter. There would be a certain kind of currency, but it could not be accumulated. A man who did any work would get a ticket at the end of each working day, representing his remuneration. It would have a date stamped upon it, and its validity would end in forty-eight hours.

He could either spend it in that time or lose it, and in this way the saving of money would be impossible. There would, therefore, be no capital.

Every sturdy community is largely a community of home-owners—not rent-payers. But try to imagine a man buying a house with a bunch of stamped and dated tickets which will all expire in forty-eight hours. Multiply this condition by the number of the population and you can visualize one of the funny features which we shall see when bolshevism achieves order out of chaos—when, in a word, it becomes systemized.

It is equally easy to imagine any kind of systematization under bolshevist government.

It was probably when President Wilson beheld the suffragists that he first fully realized he was again on his dear native shore.

If the Bolsheviks and labor disturbers and other elements of unrest would kindly take a short nap until the rest of us could get the world into running order again, they would confer a favor.

Some of the newspapers object to President Wilson's "defiant and dictatorial attitude," while others object to the Senate's "defiant and dictatorial attitude." Can it be that all America is becoming defiant and dictatorial?

Harmony in the Senate on the League of Nations plan seemed to involve as many notes of discord as a Richard Strauss symphony.

The presidential third term has long been a bugaboo. If we were to experience one, would it probably be very different from a second term?

Exquisite spring days which will bring poetry into our lives are at hand. Look up the floor wax and the scrubbing brush and last year's fly-swatter.

Why does the sailor call his boat a "wagon," and why does the motorist call his car a "boat?" Is it in each case a longing for "the far-off, unattained and dim?"

In exclusive New York places Scotch highballs are selling for a dollar apiece. If they were selling for that price in Scotland they wouldn't be selling.

If the politician who wants votes were to marry the woman who wants a vote, would they have a good basis for agreement?

Society Note.—The President of the United States has recently paid a brief visit to this country.

The seventeen-year-locusts are due again this year. How surprised they will be when they learn that in their absence there has been a war!

Hero for hero, don't you think that the soldier who carries the mules is the most heroic? You would, if you thoroughly understood the character and temperament of the army mule.

The Irish question is the one question which never under any circumstances seem to receive an answer.

People cannot avoid boxes of chocolates at the present price, but they do anyhow.

## PRINTER'S DEVIL

MICKIE SAYS

YOU MAY GET MORE PAGES FOR THE MONEY IN THE BIG CITY PAPERS, BUT YOU DON'T READ EVERY LINE IN 'EM, INCLUDING THE ADS, LIKE YOU DO IN THE HOME PAPER. DO YOU NOW?



There is some excuse for a Berlin editor insisting on going armed. At one time or another he is pretty sure to discover he has no friends whatever.

Those who are demanding peace first and then the League of Nations may have difficulty in getting either one of the other.

Buy those War Saving Stamps.

One of the colored battalions reached home in the depths of pessimism. The captain of the transport on which they crossed had forbidden the playing of craps during the voyage.

As Congress started on a wild rush for home a perturbed voice called after it, "Hey, there! You've forgotten to fix up the railroads!" But Congress evidently didn't hear, as it only ran the faster.

Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, is said to be on the lookout for a wife. How would some nice American girl like the job of making His Royal Highness' coffee and mending His Royal Highness' socks?

Supporters of the League of Nations "understand" that the Monroe doctrine is satisfactorily covered by its constitution. In this case it would be better to know than to understand.

Mr. Hohenzollern is wearing out his welcome and his best clothes in Holland and the Lord only knows where he will get any more of either.

The President was running nicely on his way to the League of Nations when his senatorial engine stalled.

If bread is the staff of life, is sugar the cane of life?

## FIRST INTERVIEW WITH PRESIDENT IN TWO YEARS

Washington.—For the first time in about two years, President Wilson consented to be interviewed by newspapermen in Washington, just before his return to Paris. The conference was held on the Senate side of the Capitol during one of the President's visits there, in the hope of getting important legislation through the blockade of a Republican filibuster.

The consent of the President to meet the correspondents created a furore in the press gallery.

During his first term the President saw the correspondents once a week at least.

The interview was formally requested through James D. Preston, representative of the Senate press gallery, but there were few among the correspondents who believed the maneuver would be successful. The waiting group was fairly swept off its feet when the President suddenly sent out a cordial "come in."

The President relieved the tension with a laughing query:

"Well, gentlemen, how do I look?" That broke the ice. The correspondents tumbled over themselves to talk.

The questions came in a deluge. Mr. Wilson carefully explained various points about the League of Nations, going over with the newspaper men much of the ground he had covered the night before at the congressional dinner at the White House.

The interview was progressing splendidly until some one asked a thoughtless question.

"How long do you think you will be away the next time, Mr. President, a year?" he babbled.

Diplomatic relations once more were broken off.

Why not have two leagues of nations and then arrange a championship series?

## ROYAL THEATRE

Program for Week Commencing Sunday, March 23d:

Sunday—Bert Lytell in "Hitting the High Spots," Lloyd comedy and Hooligan cartoon.  
 Monday—"The Iron Test," episode No. 4, and selected comedies.  
 Tuesday—Wallace Reid in "House of Silence" and Christie comedy.  
 Wednesday—Harold Lockwood in "The Great Romance" and Billy West in "He's in Again."  
 Thursday—Madge Kennedy in "The Service Star" and Pathe News No. 14.  
 Friday—"Hands Up," final episode No. 15, and Charlie Chaplin in "One A. M."  
 Saturday—Special all-star cast, "Private Peat," and Mack Sennett comedy, "His Wife's Friend."

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

In the Matter of the Estate of Vincenzo Chinazzo, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned John Ferrando, administrator of the estate of Vincenzo Chinazzo, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the law office of Joseph J. Bullock, Esq., Lipp Building, Main Street, Redwood City, San Mateo County, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Dated this 1st day of March, A. D. 1919.

JOHN FERRANDO, Administrator of the estate of said deceased.

JOSEPH J. BULLOCK, Attorney for Administrator.  
 First publication in The Enterprise, March 7, 1919. 3-7-5t

## POSTOFFICE

Postoffice open from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.  
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## ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES OF MAIL.

Mail arrives—  
 From the north at..... 6:47 a. m.  
 " " "..... 12:30 p. m.  
 " " "..... 12:30 p. m.  
 " " "..... 2:30 p. m.  
 " " "..... 4:40 p. m.  
 " " "..... 4:40 p. m.

Mail leaves—  
 For the south at..... 6:10 a. m.  
 " " "..... 7:45 a. m.  
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 " " "..... 2:00 p. m.  
 " " "..... 3:30 p. m.  
 " " "..... 3:30 p. m.  
 " " "..... 6:00 p. m.

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## SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO

## RAILROAD TIME TABLE

October, 1918.

## BAY SHORE CUT-OFF

Northbound Trains Leave.	Southbound Trains Leave.
*5:58 a. m.	2:49 a. m.
*6:59 a. m.	*7:28 a. m.
*7:14 a. m.	*7:20 a. m.
*7:41 a. m.	8:24 a. m.
*8:03 a. m.	9:18 a. m.
18:26 a. m.	11:00 a. m.
*8:42 a. m.	11:59 a. m.
9:22 a. m.	12:39 p. m.
10:37 a. m.	3:18 p. m.
11:37 a. m.	4:40 p. m.
1:41 p. m.	*5:25 p. m.
3:58 p. m.	5:59 p. m.
5:12 p. m.	6:55 p. m.
5:31 p. m.	8:29 p. m.
7:02 p. m.	*10:19 p. m.
7:27 p. m.	*10:21 p. m.
9:25 p. m.	12:05 p. m.
11:07 p. m.	

\*Except Sunday.  
 †Sunday only.

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 Marshal..... C. C. Conrad  
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 Poundmaster..... J. Welch  
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 Tax Collector..... McSweeney  
 District Attorney..... Franklin Swart  
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 County Recorder..... F. Clark Rice  
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 Surveyor..... George A. Kneese  
 Health Officer..... W. G. Beattie, M. D.

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# Woman's World and Social

## Top Coats for Spring



It is hard to tell where this very smart top coat for spring found its greatest inspiration, for it might have been in far Japan that it got its kimono sleeve or in England that it found its Raglan outlines or in the war zone that it picked up a hint of the military cape. It is a handsome and practical affair that will delight the heart of the tourist and it has achieved what its designer started out to get—a fine style that we will see aired in Easter time promenades and in all the paths to which spring lures our feet.

This coat is shorter than many of the new models for spring. It will appeal to the traveler and to the motorist and is one to wear with satisfaction on the street. The sleeves are finished off with effective cuffs having large link buttons to distinguish them from others less smart and original. Two very practical slit pockets and a high and cozy convertible collar proclaim that comfort and service, as well as good style, are a part

of the business of top coats. Nothing more effective than wool velours or duvetyne has been produced for coats. It is hard to imagine anything better than these soft, rich-looking fabrics.

Another new arrival in wraps that is popular is a cape set onto a short waistcoat that buttons down the front and gives it added warmth. This is amply wide and has a snug fitting cape collar that hugs the neck and falls to the shoulder. There are little slit, diagonal pockets in the waistcoat that will accommodate a handkerchief and a little purse. Another smart aspirant for favor hangs like a full cape at the back and front with the sides cut away into flowing sleeves. But pieces set in at the sides are extended into undersleeves, producing an unusual silhouette. It has also a high, snug-fitting turnover collar.

*Julia Bottomley*

## ENTERTAINMENT AT ALL SOULS' CHURCH

### ANNUAL EVENT IN HONOR OF IRELAND'S PATRON SAINT IS BIG SUCCESS.

Four hundred members of All Souls' Church assembled on the evening of St. Patrick's Day, when the annual entertainment in honor of Ireland's patron saint was given in the church hall.

An excellent program of instrumental music, singing, recitations, choruses and dancing was given by fourteen of the children of the parish, who were applauded to the echo for their excellent efforts.

William Hyland delivered an address, "The Political Situation in Ireland To-day," in which he reviewed the rights of Ireland to political independence and the work of the organizations which had made such persistent and successful efforts to this end.

The entertainment concluded with a one-act play, entitled "Brendan's Return," played by the following cast: Miss Mary Carmody, Miss Mary Foley, John Bowler, Daniel Lawler and Thomas Dempsey.

Refreshments were served after the entertainment and dancing concluded the very pleasurable evening.

### CHURCH NOTICE.

At the regular services of St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church, Sunday, March 23, the pastor will preach on the following themes:

11 a. m., "The Stewardship of Life."  
7:30 p. m., "The Plea for Certainty."  
Bible school at 10 a. m. Subject, "Compromising With Evil-doers."

Epworth League service at 6:30 p. m. Topic for discussion, "The Epworth League on a War Footing." Leader, Miss Sylvia Doak.

All are cordially invited to attend these services.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY SERVICES

The Christian Science Society of South San Francisco will hold services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. and testimonial services Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in Fraternal Hall, Grand avenue, near Maple. Subject of lesson sermon, "Matter." Attendance of the public is invited.

Price of crutches has increased. But flour is cheaper—and bread is the staff of life.

## MISS VIOLA HEIN CARRIES OFF FOXTROT HONORS

Miss Viola Hein, having as her partner Newell Stearns, won first prize for the most graceful foxtrotter at the dance given last Saturday evening at Fraternal Hall, under the auspices of the South City Gun Club. The second prize was awarded Miss Mildred Foley and John McDonald.

The prize foxtrot drew many couples to the floor, but the process of elimination by the judges was rapid until the competition for the two cash prizes dwindled to six couples.

The judges were unanimous in their immediate selection of the winners of the first prize, the second being awarded only after the couples remaining on the floor had been carefully criticized.

## WILL LECTURE ON SAN MATEO SOCIAL AGENCIES

Miss Mabel Weed and Professor Edward Krehbiel will lecture on the San Mateo County Conference of Social Agencies in the High School Auditorium on the evening of Thursday, March 27. The addresses will commence at 8 p. m.

The public is invited to attend the lectures, to which there will be no admission fee.

## PLAN FAREWELL PARTY IN MRS. STANDLEY'S HONOR

The ladies of the Methodist Church are planning a social and farewell party for Mrs. Standley. It will be held at the home of Mrs. Stahl, 632 Miller avenue, on Wednesday next at 2 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

## GIRLS WILL CLASH IN FAST BASKETBALL GAME

Next Monday evening at 8 o'clock the girls' basketball team of the local High School will again clash with the recently organized Atalanta team. A fast game is promised. There will be no admission and the general public is cordially urged to attend.

### WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS.

The Woman's Club held an interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. W. J. Martin on Thursday afternoon. Considerable work was done on sewing garments for the Belgian babies.

Irv Cobb has been made a chevalier of the Legion of Honor, but Ty Cobb is still lord paramount of the batting average.

Subscribe for The Enterprise.

## HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

(By Raymond Spangler.)

The seniors of the local Hi went on a jaunt to San Francisco Wednesday, had their pictures taken, attended a picture show later, and in the evening were guests of Miss Rue Clifford for dinner. They are sure having a fine time of it.

On Saturday last the freshmen splashed around in Sutro Baths, and the sophomores are planning a similar big swim next Saturday at 10 in the morning. Not to be outdone, the juniors will go to Sutro Baths on Tuesday—everybody seems to want a bath.

Howard Reichardt, in whose honor one of the stars appear in the High School service flag, and who was presented with a wrist watch by the boys of the basketball team last year when he enlisted in the service of Uncle Sam, was a visitor at the school Tuesday afternoon. His hand was crippled from the many hearty handshakes of student body and faculty, all of whom were delighted to see him.

## IMPROMPTU DANCING PARTY AT COFFINBERRYS

A dancing party was given at the Coffinberry home on Miller avenue last Tuesday evening, when thirty children and grown-up children gathered for the evening.

The affair was impromptu, the guests having been invited by telephone late in the afternoon of Tuesday.

Games, dancing and refreshments provided a most enjoyable evening.

### UNIQUE PARTY.

A unique birthday party was held at the Grand avenue home of Mr. and Mrs. John Coward on Wednesday. The couple celebrated their joint birthday which falls on the same date. A number of friends congratulated them on the occasion.

There is no accounting why a man will blow his head off because of one woman when there are so many of them in the world.

No two sunsets are alike; and you might almost say the same about the neckties that resemble them.

Some of the soldiers are wondering how long they are to enjoy the distinction of being Uncle Sam's creditors.

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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS TOLD IN BRIEF

### LOCAL BANKERS ATTEND ASSOCIATION MEETING

W. H. Coffinberry, Henry L. Haaker and D. W. Ratto of the Bank of South San Francisco, J. H. Ditton of the Cattle Loan Company, and W. C. Ditton attended the annual meeting of the California Bankers' Association, held in San Jose Saturday afternoon and evening.

A banquet preceded the election of group three of the association. Vaudeville acts and musical entertainment were provided the financial men during the evening.

Several bills now before the Legislature, whose passage will affect the bankers, were discussed at the meeting.

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Mrs. Blanchett, who formerly resided here, visited this city Thursday.

Al Costa, of local boxing fame, who has been acting as boxing instructor at the Kelly Aviation Field, returned home Sunday on a furlough. He was accompanied by Howard Reichardt, who was stationed in Georgia. Reichardt has received his discharge.

Robert Hagedorn is visiting his brother, George, in Grass Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. George Selby entertained a party of friends at cards, followed by a dainty supper, at their home on Commercial avenue Saturday evening last.

Tom Pryor left for an extended trip to visit his home in St. Louis.

Lloyd Ryan returned from France early this week with the Sixty-second Heavy Artillery.

Mrs. D. MacMills and Mrs. Hagedorn, with their children, will leave Friday for a two weeks' motor trip through Southern California.

Mrs. C. B. Rogers and son were visitors at the home of Mrs. M. L. Spangler on Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. M. Clifford is visiting her daughter in Berkeley.

Dick Harris left last week to meet his wife at Ashland, Oregon. He expects to return soon.

Mrs. E. C. Peck's sister, Mrs. J. Sonborger, is spending a two weeks' visit with her.

E. G. Ekstrom, former general manager of the Schaw-Batcher Company Ship Works, motored to Los Angeles last week to attend the automobile races at Santa Monica.

Mrs. Stephen Nyland left Friday morning for San Diego, where she will remain for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Phillips are on a motor trip to Southern California.

C. E. Duncan is now occupying the Stickle residence on Grand avenue, which he has leased from the owner.

City Attorney J. W. Coleberd left for Sacramento Friday on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blank and children spent Thursday on a visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meyers in Burlingame.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Casey and family of Oakland visited Mr. and Mrs. Bonn on Sunday last.

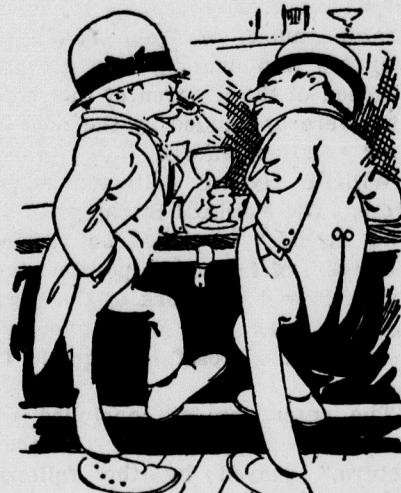
### THERE ARE OTHERS



She—He proposed to his wife over the long-distance telephone.

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### WIFE'S JOY-RIDING HABIT CAUSE OF DIVORCE ACTION

Lawrence Charles O'Neill of San Bruno, employed at the Union Iron Works in San Francisco, has filed suit for divorce in the superior court at Redwood City. He alleges that his wife goes joy-riding with other men and frequently is not at home when he returns from work. When he re-

monstrates with her, he complains, she pleads that she is lonesome and must do something to kill time in his absence. But when he suggests that she go out with him, he adds, she invariably says that she is sick.

The couple were married in Los Angeles, November 23, 1914, and separated March 12 of this year. They have one child, a son, 2 years old.

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### REPORT OF CONDITION

—OF THE—

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AT SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

As of the close of business on the fourth day of March, 1919.

RESOURCES	COMMERCIAL	SAVINGS	COMBINED
Loans and Discounts	\$244,035.82	\$336,481.39	\$580,517.21
Overdrafts	163.01		163.01
Bonds, Warrants and Other Securities (including premium thereon less all offsetting bond adjustment accounts)	59,397.03	376,604.75	436,001.78
Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures	26,990.67	66,805.81	93,796.48
Safe Deposits Vaults		1,164.24	1,164.24
Other Real Estate Owned		8,938.51	8,938.51
Due from Reserve Banks	98,298.15	50,182.23	148,480.38
Due from Other Banks		2,937.00	2,937.00
Actual Cash on Hand	50,578.08	15,872.97	66,451.05
Due from Depositors, 3d and 4th Liberty Loans			28,664.52
Checks and other cash items	28,664.52		28,664.52
Other Resources	1,443.46		1,443.46
	7.00		7.00
Total	\$509,577.74	\$859,986.90	\$1,369,564.64

### LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$34,000.00	\$66,000.00	\$100,000.00
Surplus	13,770.00	13,500.00	27,270.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid	4,761.23	2,877.90	7,639.13
Deposits, Due to Banks	448.71		448.71
Dividends Unpaid	32.00		32.00
Individual Deposits subject to check	419,364.51		419,364.51
Savings Deposits		777,609.00	777,609.00
Demand Certificates of Deposit	3,278.64		3,278.64
Certified Checks	236.68		236.68
Cashier's Checks	6,224.02		6,224.02
State, County and Municipal Deposits	27,461.95		27,461.95
Total	\$509,577.74	\$859,986.90	\$1,369,564.64

STATE OF CALIFORNIA ) ss.  
County of San Mateo

W. H. COFFINBERRY, President, and H. L. HAAKER, Cashier, of Bank of South San Francisco, being duly sworn, each for himself, says he has a personal knowledge of the matters contained in the foregoing report of condition and that every allegation, statement, matter and thing therein contained is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

W. H. COFFINBERRY, President.  
H. L. HAAKER, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to before me by both deponents, the 19th day of March, 1919.

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Karl Muth  
Joe Bernardo  
William H. Velt  
Rev. Leslie C. Kelley  
Rev. Daniel Stevens  
Rasmus P. Hansen  
Arthur S. Lindley  
Charles Miller  
Neil McSwain  
Domenico Barbera  
Fred H. Morehouse  
Louis Huer  
Ernest Kapinos  
Edgar S. Milan  
Eugenio Lippi  
George Pratt  
Alex Welte  
Leo Bonalanza  
Henry Costa  
Joseph Fagundes  
John Fagundes  
Lloyd Ryan  
Carlo Rostoni  
Edward Sands  
John Dansak  
Ray Zanetti  
Les. Howard  
David Rodgers  
Manuel Castro  
Joe Martinelli  
A. O. Lockhart  
Ben Taylor  
George Berry  
James Bowser  
Melville Coakley  
Virgil A. Pozzi  
Franklin M. Robinson  
C. O'Rourke  
Giardelli Guilio  
Pietro Franchini  
Francesco Baldi  
Peter Lucia  
Louis Boloni  
Louis Maretti  
Caesar Colbertaldo  
Angelo Monetini  
John Mark  
Mario Cornillous  
William Glen Thomsen  
Manuel Pava  
Eliseo Baldisseri  
John J. Walsh  
Ulster Bissett  
Charles L. Genascel  
Manuel Audy  
Angelo Ganziana  
A. R. Tunzi  
Oscar Johnson  
John Stathopoulos  
Nick Paperos  
Mistaele Minuccianni  
Pat Bowler  
Sam Curusis  
Peter Sands

Angelo Cerquetini  
Daniel N. Wagner  
Lawrence Vincenzini  
Ernesto Mainini  
Paul Washington  
Attilio Severi  
John Tichy  
Francis M. Dowling  
Thomas M. Joyce  
Thomas Spellman  
I. N. Grant  
Angelo Scampini

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Howard Green  
Archie Higgins  
Leon de Lange  
Edwin K. Westley  
Cassini Giacomo  
Peter Magnagi  
Otto Bissett  
Arthur C. Mathisen  
Guiseppa Berroni  
Eusebio Rosetti  
Pietro Franzola  
Wesley Walker  
Otto Balck  
Finante Ghilardi

Etienne Fourcans  
William J. Hyland  
Alberto Carpine  
William L. Doyle  
Pasquale Santini  
Manuel Tobash  
Frederick Schmidt  
Pietro Pierini  
John Longinotti  
Joseph H. Castro  
Harry Richard Harder  
Paul B. Rennick  
Tidore Marno  
Harry E. Jett  
Balthasa Stolzlechner  
Carlo Tacchi  
Florindo Terribilini  
Settino Francalanel  
Bernard McCaffrey  
William E. McGrath  
Phillip McGovern  
Samuel F. Ellis  
Eugene Stefani  
Charles Pickett  
Emilio Volonte  
Angelo Canziani  
Nicola Re  
William C. Castro  
Martin Moro  
Louis Dieu  
Eugenio Franceschetti  
Emil Bryggmann  
James Alevisos  
Gordon Wilson  
Louis Galli  
Hall Shepard  
Tambussi Camillo  
Harold C. Magnuson  
William J. Weese  
Mauro Rossi  
Angelo Luoni  
Giacomo Beltrami  
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George Haaker  
Clyde William Smith  
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William Norton  
Joseph Accornere  
Perry Croker  
William Lucchesi  
Charles Faivre  
Maurice Bernard Koop  
Guiseppa Bovere  
Henry J. Hyland  
Antonio Detomasai  
Frank Lucchesi  
Peter L. McGrath  
Victor Bucovaz  
Chas. McGrath  
Herman S. Genascel  
Alfred Raynal  
Joseph McCann  
Arnold Vanomen  
Madedo Charles Castigile  
Willard E. Sullivan  
Louis M. G. Schoenborn  
James Smith  
James A. Nikitopoulos



## News of the County

### ARTIST TO EXHIBIT.

Charles Bleil of San Mateo will be among the artists who exhibit at the reception and private view of the fifty-third annual exhibition of the San Francisco Art Association on Friday afternoon in the Palace of Fine Arts.

### WIFE LOSES \$75,000 SUIT.

Mrs. Beatrice Hurd, administratrix of the estate of her husband, Policeman John B. Hurd, a former well-known resident of Redwood City, who was killed by a street car while on duty January 17, 1918, lost her suit last Tuesday for \$75,000 damages against the city of San Francisco. Mrs. Hurd sued as administratrix on behalf of her sons, 17 and 21 years of age. She could not sue for herself because she is drawing a pension from the city.

### MRS. THATCHER DEAD.

Mrs. Sarah Ellen Thatcher, mother of Arthur J. Thatcher, a former principal of the Redwood City grammar school and now a prominent attorney of Eureka, Humboldt county, passed away at her home in Hopland, Cal., last Sunday. Mrs. Thatcher was known in Redwood, she having often visited her son when he resided there. She was 73 years of age and in addition to Arthur J. Thatcher leaves another son and three married daughters.

### NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES ARE WANTED BY RED CROSS

Old newspapers and magazines are included in the list of articles to be collected as salvage by the Red Cross. Newspapers should be carefully tied in bundles, so as to facilitate the work of collecting.

### LETTER POSTAGE WILL GO BACK TO 2-CENT RATE

Announcement has been made by the postoffice authorities that beginning July 1 the 3-cent rate for letters and the 2-cent rate for postal cards, fixed last year as a war measure, will be eliminated and the first-class rate will be returned to the old rate of 2 cents an ounce for letters and 1 cent an ounce for postals, which was the old flat rate.

### LETTERS ASKED IN ESTATE OF SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO MAN

Mary E. Donovan has petitioned the superior court for letters of administration in the estate of her husband, who passed away in this city February 20, 1919. The estate consists principally of a home at South San Francisco, valued at \$1500. In addition to the widow, Donovan left one son, William C. Donovan, aged 15 years.

### CROIX DE GUERRE CONFERRED ON YOUNG SAN MATEO BOY

Fred O. Biven, leading San Mateo high school athlete and son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Biven of that city, has received the Croix de Guerre for bravery in driving an ambulance and rescuing wounded on the western front. Word of Biven's decoration reached San Mateo Saturday.

Marshal Petain had recently cited the San Mateo boy. A copy of the citation follows:

"After approbation of the general commandant of the A. E. F. in France, the Marshal of France, chief commandant of the French eastern army, cites in regard to the division of the American army the name:

"Conductor Frederick O. Biven, A. S. S. U. 598.

"Conductor Biven was courageous and has performed with zeal and devotion the missions which were confided to him during the battles of July to November, 1918."

Young Biven is only 22 years of age. He enlisted two years ago, shortly after the United States entered the great European conflict.

For the credit of South San Francisco help the Salvation Army.

### HANGS NASH PORTRAIT.

A life-size portrait of the late Joseph H. Nash hangs in the private chambers of the County Clerk's office. It was produced from a smaller picture of the late County Clerk, taken shortly before his death. Mrs. Nash had the portrait made in San Francisco and placed in the private quarters of the Clerk's office.

### HUSBAND SUES FOR DIVORCE.

W. A. Stillifant has brought an action for a decree of divorce from Carrie R. Stillifant on the ground of desertion. The Stillifants were married in Canada on February 15, 1903, and separated in 1910. They have one child, Hughie, aged 15 years.

### HOW TO DODGE DEBTS.

How to get away from your creditors is revealed in a divorce suit filed in the superior court in San Francisco Tuesday by Mrs. Ethel Brandeis against Erich Brandeis, former San Francisco newspaperman and resident of Burlingame and Moss Beach. The method is to emulate the well-known Arabs who silently folded their tents and as silently stole away.

Mrs. Brandeis complains that she suffered the humiliation of having to register as the wife of an alien enemy during the war, and that her husband was frequently moving to dodge his creditors. She says he moved from San Francisco to Burlingame and from Burlingame to Moss Beach for this purpose.

### SUIT TO QUIET TITLE.

Christina Zinsel has brought an action in the superior court against F. W. Schurmann, as administrator, to quiet title to certain property in South San Francisco. F. A. Reynolds is the attorney for plaintiff.

### INVESTIGATE CHARGES.

The charges of Edwin E. Grant of the Law Enforcement League that the liquor ordinance of San Mateo has been violated were taken up by the San Mateo City Trustees in caucus preceding the regular meeting of the board Monday night, and it was decided that the City Attorney should be instructed to prosecute the alleged offenders if the evidence warranted. Quite a large delegation of "drys" attended the meeting.

### A "PASTOR" SHOULD BE HANGING IN EACH CHURCH

Recently in the little city of Franklin, Tenn., a large group of people gathered to attend a meeting held in connection with the Methodist Centenary. The meeting was held for the purpose of explaining the Centenary program to the Methodist leaders of the community and was a very serious and a very important gathering.

In the midst of the day's program one of the speakers explained the publicity plans of the Centenary campaign, telling how they were patterned after those so successfully carried out by the government, and how their success depended upon the co-operation of every member of the church. He further explained the publicity plans and read from a standard plan which told about the posters which would be sent out and which would hang in the vestibules or walls of every church. Either the plan from which he was reading at the time had been poorly printed or else the man could not see it very well—anyway he read:

"A pastor should be hanging in every church . . ."

### E. B. SHUGERT WILL TAKE EASTERN TRIP

E. B. Shugert, who is slowly convalescing from his recent severe attack of influenza, will make an extended trip East for his health. The probabilities are that he will remain a year.

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### W. H. COFFINBERRY GETS IRON CROSS FROM FOURCANS

One of the most interesting relics which has reached South San Francisco from the war front is an iron cross, which W. H. Coffinberry received on Monday last from Etienne Fourcans.

Previous to being called to the colors Fourcans was employed in the bank.

### CHESTER JONES VICTIM OF SLEEPING SICKNESS

Chester A. Jones, formerly a conductor on the South San Francisco car line and well known to its patrons, is none the worse for his recent experience with sleeping sickness, an aftermath of influenza, which has reached California, after having broken out in several sections of the East.

Jones, who lives at 458 Templeton street, Daly City, was asleep for ten days.

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## SAN BRUNO NOTES

### NAUGHTON FAMILY MOVE TO SAN FRANCISCO

A case of filth, dirt, squalor and moral degeneration was exhibited in the superior court room on Wednesday when John Naughton and his family, consisting of a wife and seven children, the eldest of whom is 15 years and the youngest 8 months, appeared by a citation from the judge. The family lives in squalor in a shack at San Bruno. The neighbors complained to the authorities and the family was cited to appear in court. The mother of the children is feeble-minded and is unfit to care for her offspring. They are permitted to roam at will without any restraint. Naughton is a hard-working man, but being away all day is unable to care for his family. He earns good wages, but the mother cannot manage her household. A proposition was made by the court to separate the children and place them in various homes, but the father's natural love for his boys and girls asserted itself and he would not consent to this. Judge Custer of San Bruno stoutly maintained that the neighbors of the family would not permit them to reside in San Bruno. After considerable argument Naughton finally agreed to remove the family to the residence of his sister in San Francisco.

The entertainment given by the Catholic Church of San Bruno last Saturday night was a great success. Every number seemed to be very much enjoyed. The entertainment committee was fortunate in securing some splendid talent from San Francisco for the program, one of which was a solo by Robert Valentine, an old-time resident and favorite of San San Bruno. He received a hearty welcome and greeting from his former friends. Mr. Valentine made a short speech and presented four of the returned San Bruno boys in khaki, Walter Buckingham, Marvin Russell and his cousin, Harold, and "Butts" Gouzenes, who were received with hearty cheers.

### SUIT DISMISSED.

The divorce suit of Laura M. Hawkins against her husband, George A. Hawkins, has been dismissed in the superior court. The notice of dismissal was filed in the County Clerk's office Friday, March 7.

The illustrated lecture at the M. E. Church, the third in the Centenary series, given last Friday was very entertaining and was interspersed with music. Mrs. A. Pyner of San Francisco rendered some very fine selections on the violin and was accompanied on the piano by her sister. Mrs. Pyner is a great favorite with San Francisco audiences, and San Bruno was very greatly favored in having an opportunity to hear her play. The lecture subject for this Friday night is "India," and that for next Friday night will be scenes and conditions in Central Africa. Every one is invited to be present.

Mrs. F. W. Payton motored to San Francisco last week and it was rumored that she was caught in a severe accident, but this was a mistake. The engine of her machine went "dead" in the middle of a crossing, and she narrowly escaped collision with a street car. Mrs. Payton's mother, who lives with her, was taken quite seriously ill Thursday morning.

Mrs. S. Richmond of San Jose and her son, Ed Ervines, and wife of Phoenix, Ariz., drove up from San Jose this week to visit Mrs. Richmond's daughter, Mrs. Lindsey, of San Bruno. Mrs. Lindsey and her children will return with them for the week-end.

A letter from Donald McKay, received by some of his friends, states that he is in Germany with the Second Army of Occupation. He also states that their chief occupation is wishing to come home.

The officers' council of the Parent-Teachers' Association held a meeting Friday afternoon to arrange committees, by-laws, etc.

## PROCEEDINGS OF DALY CITY TRUSTEES

The Board of Trustees met at the usual meeting place Monday evening, March 10, 1919, at the hour of 8 o'clock. The meeting was called to order by President Smith. The roll was called and Trustees Woodhouse, Ross and Smith, the Engineer and Clerk were noted present. Trustees O'Rourke and Meeks and the Attorney were noted absent. Trustee Meeks was present, but was excused before roll call.

The minutes of the meeting held February 24, 1919, were read and approved.

An application for a poolroom permit was received from Antonio Parmisano at 6017 Mission street. Upon motion, the matter was referred to the police committee.

A communication was received from Robert Behre, former editor of the Tattler, commending the Board of Trustees and the City Clerk for their progressiveness in circulating each month the full proceedings of the Board of Trustees. Ordered filed.

A communication was received from the South San Francisco Enterprise, asking that that paper be supplied each month with a copy of the proceedings of the board. Request ordered complied with.

A communication was received from Company No. 2, Fire Department, stating that it is the unanimous opinion of that company that the matter of the purchase of coats and helmets for the department should be laid over for at least six months, as at that time the price of all rubber goods will be much lower than at present. Communication ordered filed.

A communication was received from the State Committee on Readjustment in the matter of establishing a place in Daly City where returning sailors and soldiers can register for employment. Upon motion, the Marshal was instructed to act in that capacity.

The regular monthly reports were read and ordered filed.

Ordinance No. 119, being an ordinance amending Ordinance No. 94, was read in full for its second reading and, upon roll call, passed by the unanimous vote of the members present.

Bills amounting to \$1296.97, having been approved by the finance committee, were read and, upon motion, were ordered paid. Trustee Woodhouse not voting on one bill appertaining to street openings.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

CHAS. L. BIEBEL, Clerk.

Note—The Board of Trustees will receive sealed bids on Monday evening, April 14, 1919, for the sale of the one-story frame building at 97 Hillcrest Drive. This building was acquired by the city through the street opening proceedings. For further information communicate with the City Clerk.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church met in the church parlors Thursday afternoon and made plans for future activities. They will have an afternoon coffee on Thursday, April 3. This is the first afternoon affair the ladies have given this year and an effort will be made to give all a pleasant afternoon. The public is invited.

J. Cunningham has filed for re-election to his second term as School Trustee. Up to the time of going to press no opposition candidate has declared. The school election will be held in two precincts, Edgemont and Northbrae schools, and the precincts are divided the same as for San Bruno municipal elections.

Mrs. Jack Ryder and little son of Santa Cruz are spending the week-end with Mrs. Ryder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grady.

Robert Skellenger had the misfortune to sprain his ankle at the shipyard this week.

The Woman's Improvement Club met at Mrs. A. Laumeister's home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. S. Mackey entertained a small party of friends on Monday evening in honor of her husband's birthday.

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### CHANGE IN WELCOME DAY DATE IS RECOMMENDED

General J. J. Borree, chairman of the State Committee on Readjustment, has transmitted to Governor William D. Stephens the following resolution of the State committee:

"That the State Committee hereby requests Governor William D. Stephens to postpone the 'Welcome Home' celebration until such time as California service men shall have returned and until such a date when the possibility of having rain shall have passed, suggesting either July 4 or September 9 as an acceptable date."

To which Governor Stephens has replied as follows:

"If, in the judgment of the State Readjustment Committee, a later day than April 5 would enable all California to give a surer, warmer welcome to a much greater number of California's returning soldiers, sailors and marines, then the day for the Welcome Home Celebration should be changed. Your committee is authorized to act."

The date originally contemplated, when the idea of a State-wide celebration was inaugurated by the State Council of Defense, was April 5, but it is now realized that not sufficient men will have returned to their home communities to make the celebration as representative as it ought to be.

### SOUTH CITY GARAGE HAS FORD AGENCY

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